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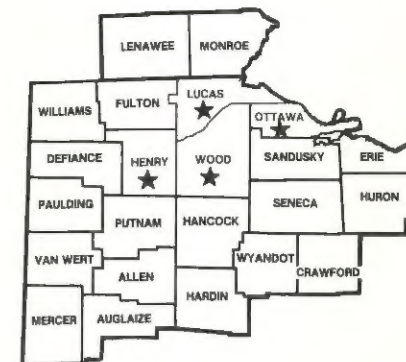


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## JANUARY

Arthur J. Peterman by Fred Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hoffman, Dan Cherry, F. Jerry Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schiess, Mrs. Betty Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Al Sarno, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Parr, Maumee Valley Yacht Club.  
Henrietta Radwanski by Barry A. McEwen, Mr. and Mrs. David Falkenberg, Mrs. Evalyn Cully.  
Mildred G. Jones by Mr. and Mrs. Edmund H. Wheelden, Mrs. O'Hara and Mary.  
Earl Taylor by Louise Martin, Helen Cook.  
Louis D. Paine by C. D. Werner Insurance Agency, Barry A. McEwen.  
Edwin O. Bracken, Sr. by Charles Trauger, William A. Marti.  
Mrs. William Skutch by Lewis and Maxine Basch.  
Jeannette McNierney by Louis C. Witker.  
Everett Mahler by 180th Civil Engineering Flight Ohio National Guard.  
James Gillen by Agnes McEwen.  
Dick Walker by Mary and Dan Camp.

## FEBRUARY

Louis D. Paine by Franklin L. Schroeder, Mrs. Edward S. Graham, Jr.  
Arthur J. Peterman by Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Pinder.  
Edward E. Summers by O'Nita Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lazenby, Mrs. Anna M. Moore, Mrs. Kathryn Flinn.  
Mrs. Marian Geiger by Louise Martin.  
Ruth Friedman by Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Camp.

## MARCH

Elizabeth Fraser by Mrs. Bartlett E. Emery, Mrs. Sam Dean, Ned and Betty Myers, Mrs. Walter Rainie, Mr. and Mrs. Norman R. Thal.  
Irene Oswald by Patti and Jill Buzi, Suzanne and Gary Robb.

Mrs. Josephine Krzak by Agatha M. Sweitzer.  
William Sherer by Louise Martin.  
Daniel A. Urbanski by Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Nowak.  
David R. Goldberg by Edward J. McCormick, Jr.  
Gaylord Sturdevant by Ron and Cathy Eckel, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nesper, Bessie A. Vassar and others.  
Carl Leck by Kathryn E. Schiever.  
Robert Brodsky by Mrs. Marilyn Cochrane.  
Thomas H. Brown by Fred Brown.  
Clifford Draves by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Daley.

## APRIL

Elizabeth Fraser by Mr. and Mrs. Curtis W. Davis, Argyll L. Smith, Wiley H. Dodd, Mrs. Nelson Abbey, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Churchman, Mrs. Juanita Pilliod, Col. and Mrs. Grubbs, Eloise D. Dougherty, Arthur R. Smith, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hubbard, Dr. and Mrs. David Wheeler, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Richard McClure, John M. Walbridge, Mildred L. Churchman, Mrs. Carl W. Klein, Jr., Mrs. Malcolm Ramey, Jerry W. Draheim, M.D., Stanley Murray, Wilson W. Snyder, Mrs. and Mrs. William Miegs, Mrs. Cornelius B. Phillips, Mrs. and Mrs. John C. Purdue, Richard and Martha Hoffman, Clarence M. Mulholland, Mr. and Mrs. James Little/Page, Mrs. Robert H. Gehring, Shirley Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Kniesser, Mr. and Mrs. Don Loss.  
Elroy Gust by Janet Winkler, Florence Ebstrup.  
Jack Goodhart by William A. Marti.  
Paul V. Noel by Paul R. Noel.  
Fred Brown by Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Schmidt.  
Margaret Ireland by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brady.  
John Lininger by Mr. and Mrs. Al McEwen.  
Erna Miller by Mr. and Mrs. Al McEwen.  
Thomas Close by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Goldman.

## MAY

James Wernert by Dan and Mary Camp.  
Richard Johnson by Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Miller, Wanda Siebenaller.  
Florence Reese by Mrs. Benjamin F. Hausman, Mrs. Harold Tenney, Donald and Betty Collier, Roy Walton, Mrs. Fred Speirs, Donald and Virginia Reese White, Lucy J. White, Mr. and Mrs. James Croy, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Frisk, Dr. and Mrs. John M. Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Childers,

Ethel F. Baker, Florence E. Schultz, Kenneth H. Robinson and others, Mrs. Marion R. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Chester P. Siess, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schlatter and others, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin M. Fischer, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Warren, Scott B. White, V. Adelphia, J. Paul Bersee, William H. Black, Mrs. Harry E. Wild.  
Ray Wotring by Virginia M. Duffy.  
Elizabeth Fraser by Mr. and Mrs. Calvin R. Tayerle.  
Margaret McCallister by Mr. and Mrs. Dan C. Lee and others.

## JUNE

Elmer Wobser by Mrs. Elmer Wobser.  
George Hammersmith by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Emch and 6 others.  
Nolan Vogelpohl by Mr. and Mrs. Al McEwen, Olive Norris.  
Mrs. Agnes Shutts by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Day.  
Sadie Claus by Marilyn M. McAfee, Allen K. Billingsby, Roland S. MacNichol, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hudson.  
James H. Maynard by Charles and Annetta Hager.  
Lillie Mae Carter by Jane Hilkert.  
Ted Collier by Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Nowak, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wolffing, Addie F. LaFrance, Howard L. Brittain, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin S. Levinson, Barry A. McEwen, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Day, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald E. Cole, Mrs. Philip Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lahman, Frank J. Comte, Frank G. Pletz, Carl W. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vandervlucht, Jane Hartman.  
Florence Reese by Mrs. William L. Clark, Mrs. Raymond C. Clark, John Morrison, Mrs. W. A. Maples, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Clark, Jr., Norman H. Rees

## JULY

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James Petersen by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hager.  
Paul Neeper by Nancy Ann Neeper.  
Nina Burgie by Mrs. Paul E. Smith.  
Christine Beach by Mr. and Mrs. Al McEwen.  
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## AUGUST

Florence Reese by Steve Clark.  
Robert T. Gaumer by Earl Long and Barbara Halstead.  
Carolyn Meszaros by John C. Good, Barry McEwen, Mrs. Leo Chinni, Wilbur Hingst, Mrs. Richard Byers, Stanley and Janet Fuller, Carlton and Grace Reynolds, Phil and Blanche Eckert,



## Betty Jo Payne Chosen Poster Girl for 1982

Former Sight Center client Betty Jo Payne is a busy girl these months.

Among other things, Jo, as she likes to be called, has been chosen Poster Girl for the Monroe County, Michigan, 1982 United Way campaign.

Jo underwent mobility training with Sight Center instructors Sue Perkins and Mary Reiff during summer months in 1980 and 1981.

When she received her diploma at Bedford (Michigan) High School's graduation exercises in the University of Toledo's Centennial Hall last May 28, the entire senior class — all 350 members — plus faculty and guests, gave her a standing ovation as she walked up the

aisle to accept the parchment.

From June 6 to July 1, she lived and worked at the Leader Dogs for the Blind school, Rochester, Mich., where she got to know her 2-year-old dog, "Brute", a 93-pound, part-Labrador Retriever - part-German Shepherd, and where he got to know her.

Brute is a constant companion as she travels around Monroe County doing her part in the United Way effort.

"It's hard work, but it's fun, too," she said of the 13-plus hour days she puts in regularly.

Jo is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Payne, Crabb Road, Temperance, Mich.

## GLASS COLLECTION



*Volunteer David Jones, better known for the many hours he spends driving the Sight Center's van, pitched in to help sort some of the thousands of donated glasses.*

A summer-long campaign to collect unwanted eyeglasses has brought an estimated 15,000 pairs into the Sight Center for processing, with some still dribbling in.

The glasses are sorted by volunteers who put aside for salvage those with gold-plated frames. The money thus raised is used to help finance many of the Center's social service programs.

The remainder are given to the Lions Clubs, which forward them to Kent State University, where they are catalogued according to prescription numbers and sent to Central and South America for distribution in areas where modern eye-care facilities are not available.

"By any standard of measurement, the program is a success," said Barry McEwen, executive director, who thanked the United Savings & Loan Association for donating its downtown headquarters and branch offices as collection centers, and the Toledo area broadcasting community for helping publicize the effort.

The collection will be repeated in 1983. Meanwhile, unwanted eyeglasses may be dropped off at the Sight Center.

## Faces Change in Intern Program, But Everyone Benefits

The new face at the Sight Center these months belongs to Deborah Carville, who began an 11-week internship in rehabilitation teaching Sept. 7 as part of her master's degree program.

The Orono, Maine, native is a 1981 graduate of the University of Maine, where she earned a bachelor of arts degree in elementary education. She will complete her internship Nov. 19.

Five other interns have served at the Center since publication of the spring newsletter in May.

Kenneth Cooper, of the Bronx, N.Y., MA, Boston College, a rehabilitation teaching intern, entered the Irish Christian Brothers, a Roman Catholic teaching order, in late summer and is now a full-time student at Iona College, New Rochelle, N.Y. He is scheduled to take his first vows some time next summer, and will become a teaching brother, not a priest, upon completion of his studies, his family said.

Helene Jospe, MA, Boston College, of Montreal, Quebec, Canada, also a rehabilitation intern, began employment Sept. 1 as a rehabilitation teacher with the Atlanta Area Services for the Blind, Atlanta, Ga.

Jeannine Gassman, of Cleveland, BA, Cleveland State University, who completed a 10-week internship in orientation and mobility Sept. 3, has returned to Cleveland and is seeking employment.

Sheree Lloyd, of Stryker, O., who interned in social work from late March until mid-June, was graduated from the

University of Toledo in June with a bachelor of arts degree. She lives with her family in Stryker and is also seeking employment.

Kelly Eastman, formerly of Monroeville, O., also a June, 1982 University of Toledo graduate with a major in social work, worked briefly at the Sight Center upon completion of her internship in June. She now lives in Southgate, Mich., and is planning to be married in November, according to her parents.



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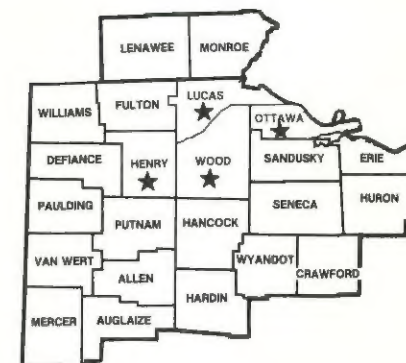


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